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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION
NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE

Fishing Vessel Logbook Record
Gulf Of Mexico Reef Fish
South Atlantic Snapper - Grouper
King and Spanish Mackerel
Shark

YOU ARE ADVISED THAT DISCLOSURE OF THE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN THIS REPORT IS MANDATORY FOR THE PURPOSE OF MANAGING THE FISHERIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FISHERY CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT ACT OF 1976 (16 U.S.C. 1801 ET. SEQ.). FAILURE TO REPORT OR FILING A FALSE REPORT MAY RESULT IN CIVIL OR CRIMINAL SANCTIONS. SEE, E.G., 16 U.S.C. 1857, 1858, 1859; 18 U.S.C. 1001.

NAME OF VESSEL _____

PERMIT NUMBER _____

NOAA FORM 88-186 OMB NO. 0648-0016 Expires: 12/31/2003

2003 LOGBOOK TRIP REPORT FORM
INSTRUCTIONS

Please read instructions carefully

This form is to be used to report fishing activity for Gulf of Mexico reef fish, South Atlantic snapper-grouper, King and Spanish mackerel and shark permits. Under current regulations, **ALL** fishermen are responsible for submitting a logbook for every fishing trip for the permits listed above.

All forms must be submitted no later than seven (7) days after the completion of each trip (the date of landing) or 7 days after the end of a month which you are reporting no fishing activity. Completed forms are to be mailed to:

National Marine Fisheries Service
Logbook Program
P.O. Box 491500
Key Biscayne, Florida 33149-9916

When additional forms or envelopes are needed, include a note with a logbook submission. Include your name, address and your vessel identification number. If you have any questions, please contact the Logbook Program at (305) 361-4581.

Please print all requested information clearly. A form with incomplete or unclear information cannot be entered into the database and will be returned. This missing form may cause you to be out of compliance and your permit renewal denied.

The following instructions are for **fishing** forms:

You must fill out a separate form for EACH fishing trip made. DO NOT report multiple trips on one form. Do not submit more than one log for each fishing trip, All information for one fishing trip should be entered on one form. There are three sections for each form.

VESSEL SECTION - Fill in each information block on each log as described below:

- **Captain's Signature** - The person responsible for the operation of the vessel during the trip must sign the form to verify all information.
- **Vessel ID. Number** - Enter the official US Coast Guard documentation number or state registration number for the vessel as it appears on the permit application.
- **Vessel Name** - Enter the vessel name as it appears on the permit application.
- **Trip ticket number** - Please include the trip ticket number from your state sales receipt (FL, GA, NC, LA).
- **Phone Number** - Include a phone number where you can be reached.
- **Start Date** - Enter the numerical date (month, day and year) when the vessel departed for the trip.
- **Unload Date** - Enter the numerical date (month, day and year) when the catch was unloaded at a dealer. If the catch was unloaded at more than one dealer, enter the date when the catch was unloaded at the **first** dealer.
- **Days At Sea** - Enter the number of days spent away from port. Include traveling time to and from fishing area. Count any fraction of a day as a whole day. If you left in the morning and returned any time before midnight, you would enter 1.
- **Number Of Crew** - Enter the total number of people that fished during the trip. The captain is to be included in the number of crew.
- **County and State of Unloading** - Enter the name of the county and the state where the fish from the trip were unloaded. Do not use code numbers.
- **Dealer Number** - Enter the dealer code numbers, if known.
- **Dealer Name** - Enter the complete name of the seafood dealer to whom you sold your catch. If the catch was unloaded at more than one dealer, enter the name of either the dealer where the **majority** of the catch was sold, or in the case of equal sales, the first dealer where the catch was sold. If you kept the catch, write in PERSONAL USE. If there was no catch, please write in NO CATCH.

GEAR SECTION - Check the box in the header of each type of gear used: traps, longline, trolling, line, hook & line/bandit, diving, or other gear. Fill in ALL information blocks under each gear type you used.

Traps - This category includes fish traps or fish pots. This category does not include lobster or crab traps.

- **Traps Used** - Enter the total number of traps that were used.
- **Hauls** - Enter the total number of hauls made. For example, if you used 10 traps and pulled each trap 3 times, this would be 30 trap hauls. Include hauls with no catch.
- **Soak Time** - Enter the total time in HOURS that the traps were in the water for the trip. For example, if you hauled 30 traps and each trap was in the water for 4 hours, then soak time would be 120 hours.
- **Mesh** - Mesh size refers to the size of the openings in the material that covers the trap. Enter the mesh size in inches (a mesh size of 1 in. x 2 in. should be entered as 1x2, a mesh size of 1.5 in. x 1.5 in. should be entered as 1.5x1.5). In the catch section, enter a **T** in the column labeled 'Gear' next to each species where trap gear was used.

Longline - This gear refers to mid-water or bottom longline.

- **# of Sets Made** - Enter the number of times that this gear was set.
- **# of Hooks/Line** - Enter the average number of hooks used per line.
- **Line Length (miles)** - Enter the average length in miles of the line used.
- **Total Soak Time (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours that this gear was used. For example, if you made 4 sets and each set was 2 hours, then total time fished would be 8 hours. In the catch section, enter **L** in column labeled 'Gear' by the species where trap gear was used.

Gill Nets - This gear is for runaround gill nets, etc.

- **Length** - Enter the length of the net in yards.
- **Depth** - Enter the depth of the net in yards.
- **Mesh** - Enter the size of the net opening in **inches**. The size should be measured as the distance between two diagonal knots when the mesh is stretched fully closed.
- **Total Soak Time (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours that this gear was used. For example, if you made 4 sets and each set was 2 hours, then total time fished would be 8 hours. For strike and run-around nets with soak times less then 1 hour, please report 1. In the catch section, enter **GN** in column labeled 'Gear' by species where gill nets were used.

Rod & Reel Handline - This gear includes rod & reel and handlines. This gear type is associated with fishing when the boat is **not moving** under its own power, but stationary (or drifting) over a fishing location.

- **# of Lines** - Enter the number of lines used.
- **# of Hooks/Line** - Enter the average number of hooks per line.
- **Total Time Fished (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours that the gear was in the water fishing. In the catch section, enter an **H** in the column labeled 'Gear' next to each species where handlines were used.

Electric Reel / Bandit - This gear includes bandits and electric reels. This gear type is associated with fishing when the boat is **not moving** under its own power, but stationary (or drifting) over a fishing location.

- **# of Lines** - Enter the number of lines used.
- **# of Hooks/Line** - Enter the average number of hooks per line.
- **Total Time Fished (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours that the gear was in the water fishing. In the catch section, enter an **E** in the column labeled 'Gear' next to each species where handlines were used.

Trolling Lines - These are lines that are used from a boat that is moving under its own engine power with the lines in the water trailing the boat.

- **# of Lines** - Enter the number of lines used.
- **# of Hooks/Line** - Enter the average number of hooks used per line.
- **Total Time Fished (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours that the gear was in the water fishing. In the catch section, enter a **TR** in the column labeled 'Gear' next to each species where trolling lines were used.

Diving - This includes speargun, gigs, powerhead or bangstick and hand caught while diving.

- **Type of Gear** - Enter a **P** for gear with explosive devices (i.e., powerheads or bangsticks). Enter an **S** for gear without explosive devices (i.e., spearguns, gigs, or by hand).
- **# Divers** - Enter the total number of divers that were in the water.
- **Total Time Fished (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours that the divers were in the water. In the catch section, enter a **S** or **P** in the column labeled 'Gear' next to each species taken by divers.

Other Gear - This gear includes cast net, lobster pots, stone crab pots and any other type of gear. **Please do not record bandits, electric reels, or rod & reels here** (See Handline instructions).

- **Type of gear** - Enter the name of the gear.
- **Total Time Fished (hrs)** - Enter the total time in hours this gear was used. In the catch section, enter an **O** in the column labeled 'Gear' next to each species taken by other gear.

CATCH SECTION - Catch is defined as the pounds of fish that were caught and sold. Space is provided at the bottom of the log for species not listed.

Gutted Column - Enter the amount of catch in pounds for each species sold in gutted form in this column.

Whole Column - Enter the amount of catch in pounds for each species sold in whole form in this column.

Gear Column - Enter gear code (T, L, GN, H, E, TR, S, P, or O) for the type of gear that caught the species in the Gear column. Gear codes are in the parentheses next to the type of gear in the GEAR SECTION.

Area Column - Enter the numeric code for the fishing area where the majority of your catch for this trip was made. Maps with the numeric codes and the associated latitudes and longitudes are on the following page. **Do not use** state codes or Loran coordinates.

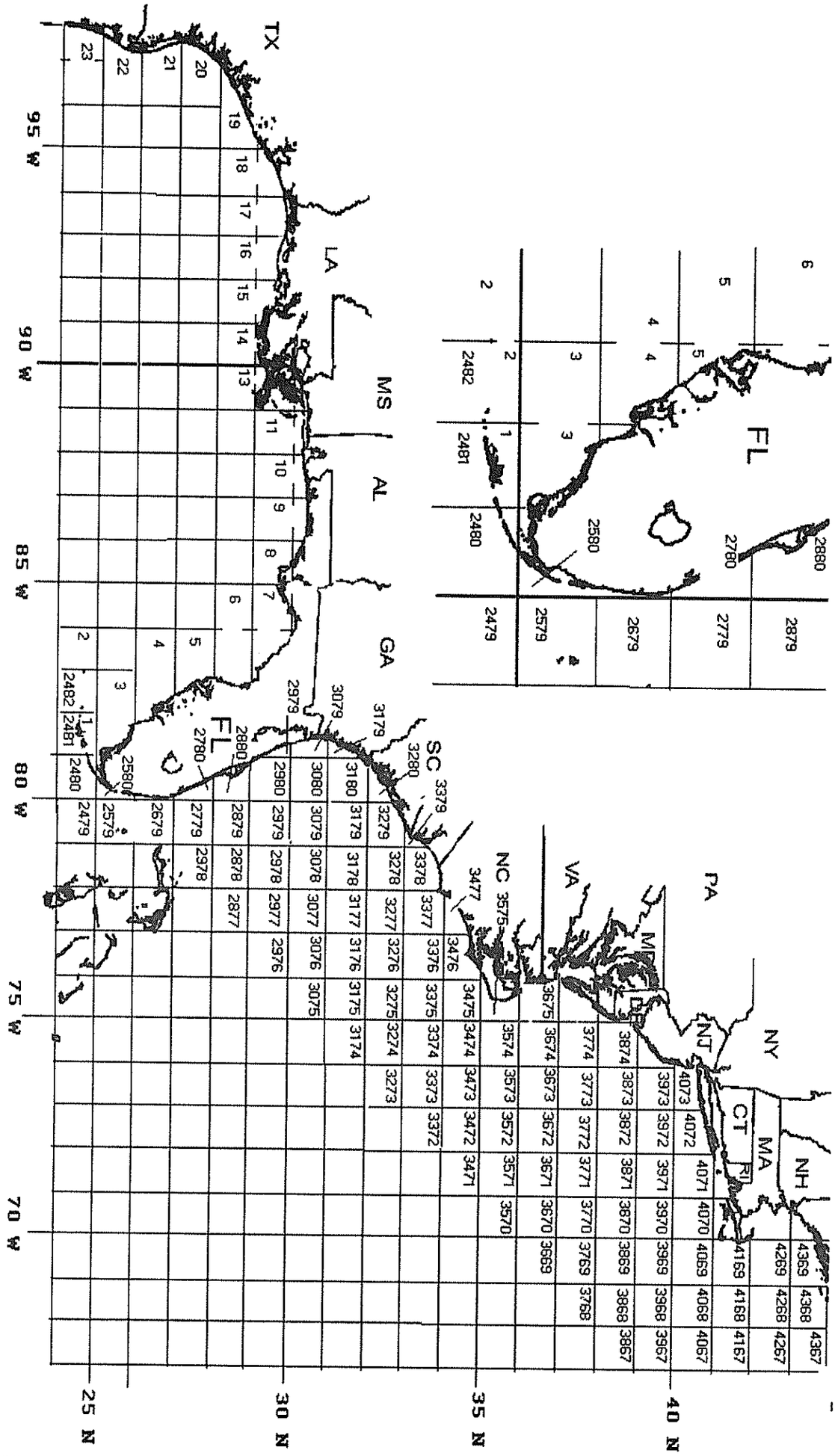
Do not include fractions of pounds.
Do not enter the number of fish, only enter the weight in pounds.
Do not enter a number in both gutted and whole column for a species unless you actually sold fish in both forms.
You must enter a gear and area for each species reported.

The following instructions are for **NO-FISHING** forms:

If a permitted vessel did **NOT** fish during a calendar month, a **NO-FISHING** form must be completed. NO-FISHING forms are in the **BACK** of the logbook, behind the trip forms. Please note the following:

A separate form must be completed for each month that no fishing occurred.
Please do not submit one form for multiple months.
Do not submit more than one form for each month.
Put a check by each permit for the fishery(ies) that no fishing occurred.
Multiple fisheries can be reported on one form.
Do not check fisheries for which you do NOT have a permit.

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 10 minutes per response for fishing forms and 2 minutes to submit a no-fishing response including the time for reviewing the instructions, searching the existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspects of this burden to Robert Sadler, National Marine Fisheries Service, 9721 Executive Center Drive N., St. Petersburg, Florida 33702. This reporting is required under and is authorized under 50 CFR 622.5(a)(1)(v). Information submitted will be treated as confidential in accordance with NOAA Administrative Order 216-100. Notwithstanding any other provision of the law, no person is required to respond to, nor shall any person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with, a collection of information subject to the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act, unless that collection displays a currently valid OMB Control Number. The NMFS requires this information for the conservation and management of marine fishery resources. This data will be used to monitor the quota for this fishery.



Area Map:

South Atlantic Statistical Grid Map – Grid Numbers follow lines of longitude and latitude. The first two digits in the four digit grid numbers are the degrees of latitude, the second two digits are the degrees of longitude.

Gulf of Mexico Statistical Grid Map – Use the grid number of the area you fished. Note that gulf grid numbers do not follow lines of longitude and latitude.

Florida Close-up (See Inset) - The close-up grid map of south Florida shows the 4 digit codes for the South Atlantic Region and the 1 digit code for the Gulf of Mexico Region.

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Signature: _____

Phone No. ( ) -

Schedule No. ***NMFS Use Only***

Vessel No.: | | | | | | | | |

Start Date: MM DD YY

Unload Date: MM DD YY

County or Parish: _____

Vessel Name: _____

State : | | Dealer Number: *(if known)* _____

State Trip Ticket No.: _____ *(if known)*

Days at Sea: | | No of Crew: | |

Dealer Name: _____

GEAR SECTION:

See Instructions on page 2. Check gear box and fill in all the boxes below.

Date Received: *NMFS use only*

☐ Traps (T)		☐ Longline (L)		☐ Gill Net (GN)		☐ Rod & Reel / Handline (H)		☐ Electric Reel / Bandit (E)		☐ Trolling (TR)		☐ Divers (S) (P)		
# Traps Used		# Sets:		Length (yrds)		# Lines		# Lines		# Lines		# Divers		
# Hauls		# Hooks per Line		Depth (yrds)		# Hooks per Line		# Hooks per Line		# Hooks per Line		Hours		
Total Soak Time (hrs)		Length (Miles)		Mesh		Total Hrs Fished		Total Hrs Fished		Total Hrs Fished				
Mesh: ☐x☐ / ☐x☐		Total Soak Time (hrs)		Total Soak Time (hrs)		☐ Other Gear : (O) _____				Total Hrs Fished for (O)				

CATCH SECTION:

See Instructions on page 3.

Record weight in GUTTED **OR** WHOLE pounds. (Do not include fractions of pounds)
Record Gear code as T, L, GN, H, E, TR, S, P or O.
Area codes can be found on maps in logbook (Page 4).

Species Name		Code	Gutted	Whole	Gear	Area
Amberjack-Greater		1812				
Amberjack-Lesser		1815				
Almaco		1810				
Banded Rudderfish		1817				
Crevalle		0870				
Cobia		0570				
Dolphin Fish		1050				
GROUPER	Black	1422				
	Gag	1423				
	Misty	1420				
	Red	1416				
	Scamp	1424				
	Snowy	1414				
	Yellowedge	1415				
	Yellowfin	1426				
	Hind, Red	1413				
	Hind, Rock	1412				
	Hind, Speckled	1411				
GRUNT	Bluestriped	1444				
	French	1445				
	White	1441				
	Margate	1442				
	Margate, Black	1443				
	Grunts, Unc.	1440				
Hogfish		1790				
King Mackerel		1940				
Spanish Mackerel		3840				
Wahoo		4710				
Black Sea Bass		3360				
Bluefish		0230				
Blue Runner		0270				

Species Name		Code	Gutted	Whole	Gear	Area
PORGY	Jolthead	3312				
	Knobbed	3308				
	Red	3302				
	Whitebone	3306				
SHARK	Blacknose	3485				
	Blacktip	3495				
	Bonnethead	3483				
	Bull	3497				
	Dusky	3514				
	Finetooth	3481				
	Lemon	3517				
	Sandbar	3513				
	Sharpnose	3518				
SNAPPER	Blackfin	3757				
	Lane	3761				
	Mangrove	3762				
	Mutton	3763				
	Queen	3770				
	Red	3764				
	Silk/yelloweye	3758				
	Vermilion	3765				
	Yellowtail	3767				
Triggerfish, Gray		4561				
Triggerfish, Ocean		4562				
Triggerfish, Queen		4563				
Tilefish, blueline/gray		4474				
Tilefish, golden		4470				
Sea Trout, White		3455				
Puffers, blowfish		2760				
Barracuda		0180				
Hake		1550				

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NO FISHING REPORTING FORM

Vessel ID. NO. [ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ] Vessel Name: _____

During the entire month of [ ][ ] , year [ ][ ][ ][ ] this vessel DID NOT FISH in the fisheries checked below:

› more than one fishery may be checked
› DO NOT check any fishery if your vessel does not have a permit for it
> Use **Black** Ink

- ○ Atlantic Highly Migratory Species (swordfish/tunas)
- ○ South Atlantic Snapper-Grouper
- ○ Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish
- ○ Shark
- ○ King Mackerel
- ○ Spanish Mackerel

Signature _____ Phone ( ) _____ - _____

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